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Sanitary work done.

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| Examination of premises | 14,650 |
| Written notices | 4,978 |
| Cesspools examined | 14,650 |
| Cesspools cleaned | 736 |
| Houses cleaned and disinfected | 1,370 |
| Cart loads of disinfected material removed from houses | 676 |
| Office employees | 42 |
| Sanitary inspectors | 43 |
| Laborers | 229 |

Weather report.

| Day. | Barometer. | Humidity. | Thermometer. | Rainfall. | Day. | Barometer. | Humidity. | Thermometer. | Rainfall. |
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| 1..... | 29.991 | 89 | 79 | .12 | 18..... | 30.057 | 83 | 78 | .00 |
| 2..... | 30.032 | 85 | 80 | .00 | 19..... | 30.075 | 80 | 78 | .00 |
| 3..... | 29.974 | 79 | 80 | T | 20..... | 30.074 | 78 | 76 | .00 |
| 4..... | 29.936 | 71 | 78 | .25 | 21..... | 30.074 | 74 | 76 | .00 |
| 5..... | 29.952 | 66 | 75 | .00 | 22..... | 30.040 | 72 | 74 | .00 |
| 6..... | 29.936 | 68 | 74 | T | 23..... | 30.030 | 84 | 74 | .00 |
| 7..... | 29.937 | 63 | 74 | .00 | 24..... | 30.014 | 76 | 76 | .00 |
| 8..... | 30.016 | 64 | 74 | .00 | 25..... | 29.933 | 84 | 77 | .02 |
| 9..... | 30.068 | 66 | 73 | .00 | 26..... | 29.974 | 61 | 72 | .16 |
| 10..... | 30.032 | 70 | 73 | .00 | 27..... | 30.064 | 70 | 66 | .00 |
| 11..... | 29.933 | 85 | 76 | T | 28..... | 30.042 | 70 | 70 | .00 |
| 12..... | 30.018 | 77 | 74 | .12 | 29..... | 30.014 | 79 | 72 | .00 |
| 13..... | 30.061 | 58 | 70 | T | 30..... | 29.978 | 78 | 74 | .00 |
| 14..... | 30.090 | 69 | 69 | .00 | Total..... | | | | .96 |
| 15..... | 30.090 | 74 | 72 | .00 | | | | | |
| 16..... | 30.138 | 95 | 76 | .28 | | | | | |
| 17..... | 30.091 | 83 | 78 | .01 | | | | | |

A case of yellow fever in Mantanzas.

[Cablegram.]

MANTANZAS, CUBA, *December 18, 1900.*

One case yellow fever reported ; civilian.

GUITÉRAS.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*Reports from Nuevitas, Puerto Padre, and Gibra—Yellow fever at Puerto Padre.*NUEVITAS, CUBA, *December 4, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report for the week ended December 1, 1900:

Nuevitas.—During this week 5 vessels have arrived and 6 bills of health have been issued. Two deaths have occurred. No more cases of yellow fever have been reported or known to exist. The case of yellow fever already reported occurred on November 27 in the person of Mr. Thomas, special agent, Post-Office Department, was immediately isolated in a house 2½ miles from this town, and is now in convalescence.

Puerto Padre.—There was a telegraphic report of 2 very mild cases of yellow fever on November 30 in the persons of the doctor and an officer of the United States transport *Vixen*, in anchor at that harbor.

Gibara.—This port telegraphs 9 arrivals, 8 bills of health, and 3 deaths.

Respectfully,

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, *December 5, 1900.*

Santiago.—There was a total of 21 deaths reported in the civil population during this period, an increase of 7 over that of the previous week, making the death rate 25.39 per 1,000; estimated population, 43,000. The chief causes of deaths were the following: Tuberculosis, 8; intestinal tuberculosis, 1; tetanus, infantile, 2; Bright's disease, 1; bronchitis, chronic, 1; uræmia, 2; other causes, 6; total, 21. Thirteen vessels were inspected and passed during the week, and 8 bills of health were issued to vessels controlled by the United States, and 2 Cuban bills of health were issued to vessels going to foreign ports. The sanitary conditions of the port remain good. No quarantinable diseases have appeared in this district.

Manzanillo.—Acting Asst. Surg. R. de Socarras reports 5 deaths from the following causes: Tuberculosis, 2; chronic malaria, 1; cholera infantum, 1; hanging, 1; total, 5. Population, 14,464; death rate, 18.05.

Guantanamo.—Acting Asst. Surg. Luis Espin reports 10 deaths, due to the following causes: Pernicious malarial fever, 2; dysentery, 1; chronic enteritis, 1; tetanus, infantile, 2; other causes, 4; total, 10. Death rate, 28.88.

Daiquiri.—Nothing of interest reported.

Respectfully,

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

[Inclosure.]

Report of treatment of passengers' baggage for the week ended December 1, 1900, port of Santiago de Cuba.

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